

COVID-19 WEEKLY UPDATE

Lewis County, WA | Reporting Week for May 23, 2021 to May 29, 2021

The COVID-19 vaccine is available to all people 12 years and older!

The first diagnosed case of COVID-19 in a Lewis County resident was reported on March 15, 2020.

As of May 29, 2021, Lewis County reported:

- 161 new COVID-19 cases, an increase from the previous reporting week
- 9 new hospitalizations, a decrease from the previous reporting week
- **0 new deaths**, a **decrease** from the previous reporting week
- 386.3 new COVID-19 cases per 100K in the past two reporting weeks, an increase from the previous reporting week
- 3 active outbreaks in congregate care settings, an increase from the previous reporting week
- 34.5% of residents had initiated vaccination; 28.8% of residents had been fully vaccinated.
- Phase 3 standing of Healthy Washington: Roadmap to Recovery.

COVID-19 Weekly Update Summary, May 23 - May 29, 2021, Lewis County, WA

	May 23, 2021 -	March 15, 2020 -
Description	May 29, 2021	May 29, 2021
COVID-19 Cases	161	4,990
Hospitalized for COVID-19 (ever during illness)	9	369
Deaths	0	66
Outbreaks in Congregate Care Settings	3	33

Note All data are subject to change as more data become available and are verified.

Total and new cases include diagnosed (molecular test)) and probable (antigen test) cases; probable case inclusion began December 16, 2020; LCPHSS does not report deaths until verified by receipt of a physician-signed death certificate stating COVID-19 as a cause of death.

Congregate care settings include licensed facilities, such as nursing homes, assisted living, adult family homes, child care centers, schools, homeless shelters, jail, detention and other similar group care or placement settings. An outbreak involves two or more linked cases of COVID-19. The number of outbreaks reported does not equal the number of persons involved.

As data is verified, numbers reported previously may change. We access data from multiple official sources; discrepancies from one source, or day, to another, is a reflection of differing operating procedures. Data sources include: Washington State Department of Health COVID-19 Data Dashboard: https://www.doh.wa.gov/Emergencies/NovelCoronavirusOutbreak2020COVID19/DataDashboard, Roadmap to Recovery Metrics: https://coronavirus.wa.gov/what-you-need-know/roadmap-recovery-metrics, and LCPHSS.

Everything we report in our Weekly Update is an official public record. As such, it has been confirmed to the best of our abilities to be accurate. Weekday COVID-19 cases are reported on the same day. COVID-19 cases from Saturday, Sunday, and holidays are reported out the next business day. Please visit: Lewis County Public Health COVID-19 Information (lewiscountywa.gov).

To find COVID-19 vaccine appointments and locations: https://vaccinelocator.doh.wa.gov/